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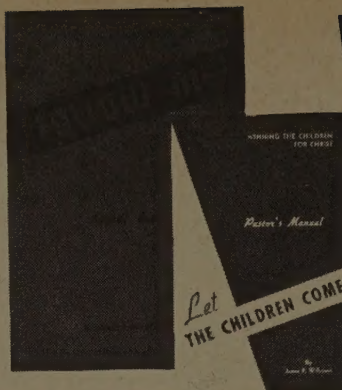
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Judson Journal is dedicated to the promotion of Christian education throughout the Northern Baptist Convention. It is sent forth on the first of each month except July, August, and September. It serves as a channel by means of which The Board of Education and Publication can keep in touch with those who are out on the front line.

The pages of Judson Journal are devoted to the total program of Christian education. Programs, plans, materials, books, and other related matter pertaining to the various departments of work will be included. In other words, Judson Journal is intended to serve as the "voice" of the denomination in the broad field of Christian education.

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WIN THE CHILDREN FOR CHRIST

1 **THE PURPOSE** - To meet the expressed need of pastors for materials which may be used to help create in the pupil's mind the desire to be a Christian and a church member.

2 **FOR THE PASTOR** - A plan of evangelism to win children to Jesus Christ. This manual outlines a complete program of evangelism including detailed suggestions for a class on discipleship and church membership.

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December 17, 1946

Miss Phyllis VanZandt,
Director of Evangelism Among Children,
1703 Chestnut Street,
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Dear Miss VanZandt:

It is a source of real encouragement to discover such a genuine and wholehearted response on the part of pastors all across the denomination to our new materials on evangelism and church membership for children. I have heard nothing but favorable comments. I want to take this opportunity to congratulate you and those who worked with you in the creation of this excellent material.

Our immediate task is to see that both the pastor's manual, "Let the Children Come," and the pupil's book, "Follow Me" are brought to the attention of every minister in the Northern Baptist Convention. During the next two or three months hundreds of churches will be conducting classes on church membership and these materials should have the widest possible use.



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Sincerely yours,

Richard Hoiland
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Division of Education in Home, Church, and Community

A NEW FORMAT!

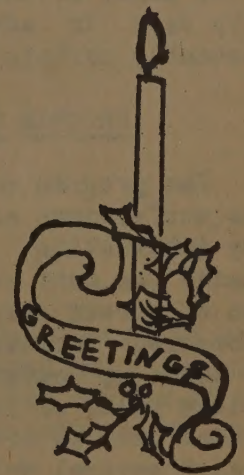
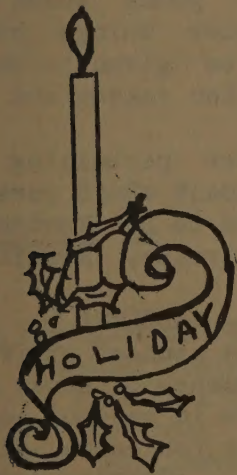
We hope that all of our regular readers will be able to recognize this issue of Judson Journal even though we have had our face lifted, as it were. It was our intention to make Judson Journal as attractive and as readable as possible and at the same time provide more space for the various departments of work.

By the simple devise of streamlining the staff "itineraries" and creating new department mastheads we have been able to introduce two or three distinctly new features in addition to making available more space for copy on each page.

The circulation of Judson Journal is now upwards of 500 despite the fact that

it started out as a sort of "house organ" for our city and state directors of Christian education. We are not particularly anxious to increase the circulation but we do want to place a copy in the hands of those men and women in our denomination who are engaged professionally in the work of Christian education. In addition to our area directors of Christian education we have in mind particularly those who are serving as directors in local Baptist churches.

Suggestions as to how we can make the pages of Judson Journal more helpful to those who are giving leadership in the work of Christian education will be welcome.



Because the December issue of Judson Journal goes out so far in advance of Christmas it seemed more appropriate to express our holiday greetings in the January number. Be this as it may, all of us in the Division of Education in Home, Church, and Community are united in the hope that your Christmas was a happy one filled with good cheer and the

good things which make for a truly abundant life.

Likewise we hope and pray that the new year will bring continued joy and gladness to all of you who are seeking to serve Christ and his church through the ministry of Christian teaching. May God richly bless you and give each one of you a great harvest in your labors for Him.



Northern Baptist Assembly

VACATIONISTS

ARE WELCOME!

Because accommodations are quite

definitely limited and we have wanted to give priority to those desiring to attend conferences, we have done very little thus far to encourage our Baptist people who have wanted to come to Green Lake purely for a vacation. As a result many who could have been taken care of at certain times during the past two summers did not even make the effort to inquire.

This coming summer we are going to make a real effort to accommodate vacationists by making available to them all space that is not reserved sixty days prior to the opening date of a given conference. This means that those who want to register for conferences will need to get their applications for accommodations in the hands of the registrar at least sixty days in advance in order to be reasonably certain of being accepted.

PROGRAM TAKING SHAPE

The program committees for the various conferences are hard at work and many interesting features are being planned for next summer. As the reputation of Green Lake gets "noised" about it becomes increasingly less difficult to line up outstanding leaders from various walks of life. This will become evident once we are able to announce the names of several well known personalities who will be at Green Lake this summer.

Our first national General Bible Conference (July 26-August 4) is already receiving much favorable comment. Among the speakers and conference leaders already lined up are Dr. J. C. Massee, Dr. Richard Ellsworth Day, Dr. George Buttrick, Dr. A. H. Boutwell, and Dr. Wm. A. Mueller. We are still waiting for final word from one of America's outstanding Bible scholars from one of our sister denominations.

ACCENT ON YOUNG CHURCHMEN

For Baptist men and their families only! No unattached women allowed. That is the specific request of the National Council of Northern Baptist Men so far as the National Laymen's Conference (June 30 - July 7) is concerned.

The goal is not less than 400 in attendance for the full week and of this number at least 200 are to be young men between the ages of 25 and 35.

Responsibility for promoting attendance will be delegated to the Baptist laymen's organization in each city and state convention area. Plans are already under way for a great program.

RECRUITING STUDENT STAFF

The application forms are now ready and will be sent out upon request to those interested in working at Green Lake this coming summer. We are going to need approximately fifty young women and thirty young men. Other things being equal preference will be given to those who can come early in the season and remain late.

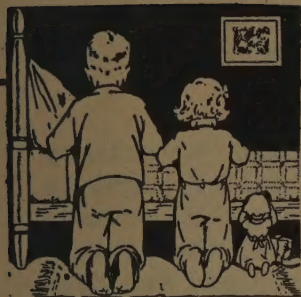
All correspondence pertaining to the recruitment of student staff personnel should be addressed to Dr. Newton C. Fetter at 152 Madison Avenue, New York, 16, New York.

HELP WANTED - ADULTS!

In addition to the student staff we are going to need a number of adult men and women who can serve in various capacities. The call now is for cooks, dishwashers, housekeepers, cleaning women, gardeners, bus drivers, hostesses in the dining room and sleeping quarters, bookkeepers, office clerks, stenographers, electricians, and "handy men."

These men and women should be thirty years of age or over and should be as carefully selected in relation to character and ability as the young people on the student staff.

Those interested, write directly to our business manager, Mr. J. C. Clark, The Northern Baptist Assembly, Green Lake, Wisconsin.



Department of Children's Work

Christmas Institutes

REPORTS ON THE CHRISTMAS INSTITUTES are pouring into our office with enthusiastic comments on the response of local workers toward the plan. When a total report on the attendance and the number of participating churches is completed we will publish it.

Margaret Crain wrote that in Massachusetts an Institute was held in each of the fifteen Associations and an additional one for the Negro churches of Boston, with a total attendance of more

than 1100 children's workers, superintendents and pastors. About 150 churches of the state were reached by the Institutes.

Many letters have come from association workers expressing enthusiasm for the plan and appreciation for the age-group Christmas pamphlets which were provided for the Institutes. Thousands of the pamphlets were sent out from our office in response to orders from the various areas.

1947 Conference at Green Lake

JUNE 25-29 HAS BEEN SET as the date for the National Conference on Children's Work. Each Area Director will want to be sure a strong leader of children's work, who will have ability and time to give leadership to the Area during the

next year, is selected to attend the Conference. Among other emphases, planning for association Institutes on Easter and for day camping will receive major consideration.

Laboratory School, Green Lake

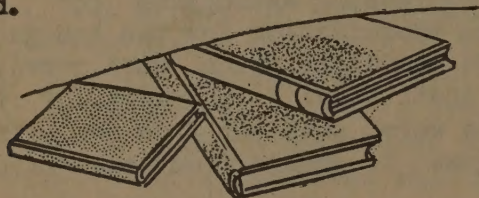
IT IS TIME TO SELECT local workers to attend the Laboratory School at Green Lake next June 28-July 12. Each Area in our denomination should be represented in the Laboratory School by three or four of its strongest workers. It would

be helpful if one from each age group, kindergarten, primary, junior and junior high, could attend and later give leadership in that age group field in his own area.

BOOK REVIEWS

THIS IS GOD'S WORLD, by Mabel A. Niedermeyer. The Bethany Press, St. Louis. 63 pages. 1946. Price, sixty cents.

This is a book on Christian stewardship. It is planned to help older primary and junior children to realize that everything in the world really belongs to God, and to think about the meaning of stewardship for their own lives. The text is addressed directly to the reader, with some stories, Bible verses and poems interspersed. It is attractively illustrated.



ONE THOUSAND POEMS FOR CHILDREN, selected and arranged by Elizabeth Hough Sechrist. Macrae Smith Company, 1946. 601 pages. Price, \$3.00

This is a rich source book for teachers and parents; it contains poems on many subjects for children of all ages. It is based on the original selections of Roger Ingpen, published long ago under this same title, but it can hardly be thought of as the same book. More than four hundred new poems will be found, many of them by modern writers.

The book is well arranged for easy reference. It is divided into "Poems for Younger Children" and "Poems for Older Children." Within each of these divisions there are subject classifications such as "Creatures Great and Small," "Poems for Fun," "Poems of Praise," "Holiday Poetry," "Poems of Reverence." The poems also are indexed by author, title, and first lines.

Many teachers and parents will want to own this book for themselves. It also is an excellent addition to a church school library or a church library for parents.

FEBRUARY REVIEWS

STORY WORLD

Valentine's Day is important to primary boys and girls, and they will delight in the special valentine cover, directions for making a valentine gift, the picture story called, "Valentines," and two feature stories for Valentine's Day.

Directions for making Chinese dolls and other make-it articles will prove popular.

JUNIORS

A new and unusual serial, "The Cedar Block," by Mary Lloyd Callaghan, begins this month. In it juniors will become good friends with Asa, a boyhood friend of Jesus in Nazareth. The story is well-written and will give a rich background of life in Nazareth in the time of Christ. Also to supplement the study of Jesus which juniors are now having, are the two articles, "Each His Own Picture of Jesus," and "Singing the Story of Jesus," both by Margaret Sherwood Ward.

A whole page of "Brain Twisters" and various make-it articles, including one suggesting a different hobby for every month in the year, will be popular with the most active juniors.

RAPTIST LEADER -- Children's Leader

Should we have a Junior Church? What shall we do with the one we have? These often-asked questions are dealt with in the article by Blanche Hoke, "Are You Sure You Want a Junior Church?" The values and disadvantages are discussed, and guidance is given which should be of help to your own church.

Another subject in which interest is live in the children's division is planning for Easter. Read the article by Florence Lee, "Home and Church Together Plan for Easter," and find many practical suggestions for your own parent-teacher program and work.

WINNING THE CHILDREN FOR CHRIST

Welcome Miss Andrew

It is with great pleasure that we announce that Miss Alice Andrew is joining our staff on January 1 as one of the regional directors of Evangelism Among Children. She will be available to help direct "Winning the Children for Christ" program efforts in the Midwestern states; namely - Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and North and South Dakota.

Miss Andrew is a graduate of the Baptist Missionary Training School in Chicago and

has for several years now been director of Weekday Religious Education in the public schools of Findlay, Ohio. Prior to this experience she served as Director of Religious Education in one of the Baptist Churches in Youngstown, Ohio. We are confident that with this fine background of experience and training that she will have a great contribution to make as she guides local church people in this important phase of their children's work.

Areas to be Participating Soon

Now that we again have our original number of "Winning the Children for Christ" directors we will be able to meet a greater number of requests for help in this field of work. If, therefore, in your area requests have come asking for a regional director to serve, please let me know so that the total spring schedule may soon be cleared.

We have already definite plans made to serve in twenty-six different areas during this winter and spring period. A number of other areas are at least tentatively holding dates while the local church people study the program to see how the three-fold emphasis may help to meet their needs in church, home, and community.

One Unchurched Area

Recently two leaders were calling in an outlying area of Topeka, Kansas, where no church is located. Within a few hours time over 40 unchurched children were found. Incidentally, half of this group were first discovered by the eight-year-old son of the hostess. He asked pals in school and on the play -

ground whether or not they went to Sunday school. If the answer was negative he took their names down for his mother to contact later.

Three story hour groups were planned to meet the need of that area.

VISUAL AIDS
IN
Missionary Education

MISSIONARIES HELP BOYS AND GIRLS



Eight gay colored pictures, showing Baptist missionaries working with kindergarten children; helps our children to understand the work of the missionary in America and around the world. A story for each picture. 60 cents.

WHEN CHILDREN WORSHIP

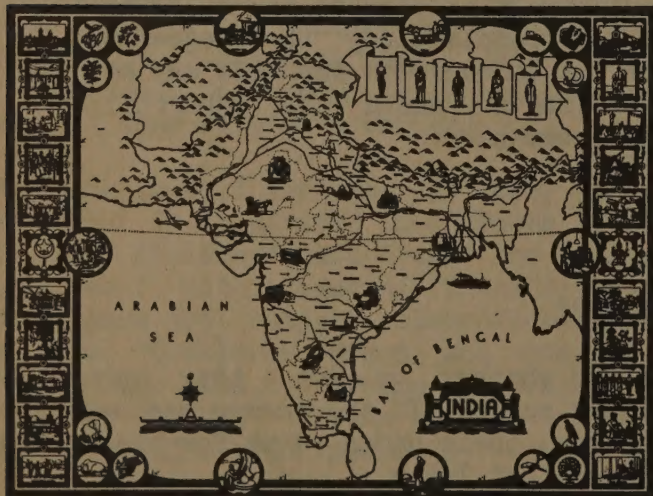
A worship screen containing four large pictures showing how Christian children of other lands worship and a fifth center picture showing children of all nations coming to Jesus. A story to accompany each picture. 60 cents.



CHILDREN AND THEIR TOYS AROUND THE WORLD

Eight colored pictures, eight stories by Margaret L. Decker. Special Baptist edition. Set, 60 cents.

PICTURE MAP OF INDIA



MAP OF INDIA SHOWING BAPTIST MISSION
FIELDS

Map in four colors; 22x28 inches. 25 cents.

Illustrated map. To be colored; 50x38 inches. 50 cents.

Send for Visual Aid Catalogue, Visualization Division, Council on Finance and Promotion, 152 Madison Avenue, New York City 16, for a listing of projected films and slides.



Department of Youth Work

Baptist Youth Fellowship

Youth Week is the united celebration for Christian young people in the churches and agencies cooperating in the United Christian Youth Movement.

YOUTH WEEK offers natural opportunities for Evangelism Religious Emphasis Weeks, High School Christian Missions, Services of Interdenominational Worship, and many other challenging projects. Make plans now. Get the YOUTH WEEK Manual for 1947.

January 26 to February 2, 1947

1. Get Youth Week scheduled: In the program of your local church. Set up a special Youth Week committee to secure materials and make plans for the observance. In the program of your community through your council of churches, ministerial association, youth council, or other appropriate interdenominational agency. See that a representative committee is appointed to carry out a community Youth Week observance.

2. Get your young people to participate in the Parshad Youth Week Scholarship contest described below. The awards give challenging opportunity to your ablest young people to prepare for Christian leadership.

Parshad Youth Week Awards

(COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS)

TWO NATIONAL AWARDS OF \$1600 to the top ranking boy and girl; \$400 a year for four years to attend the college of the winner's choice.

SIX REGIONAL AWARDS OF \$1000 each; \$250 a year for four years to a boy and girl from each of the six regions of the United Christian Youth Movement to attend the college of the winner's choice.

Participants must be Christian young people 16 to 25 years of age who are seniors in high school, freshmen in college, or employed young people who are high school graduates. Entries must be in the hands of local ministerial associations or council of churches by January 12, 1947.

YOUTH WEEK MATERIAL MAY BE ORDERED FROM The International Council of Religious Education, 203 North Wabash Avenue, Chicago 1, Illinois.

Parshad Scholarship folder - this is free
Youth Week Manual - Plans, projects, worship services, radio scripts, 20 cents
Worship Service, "Youth Shares The Christian Faith," local church use 2 cents each
Worship Service, "Youth Shares The Christian Fellowship," interdenominational youth service - 3 cents each
Promotional Flier for general distribution 3 cents each.

BYF TO GIVE RIGHT OF WAY TO EVANGELISM
IN 1947-1948

From the very beginning Evangelism has been central in the BYF program. The coming year will afford opportunity to give Evangelism a No. 1 Priority.

The action of the General Council of the Northern Baptist Convention at Columbus

President, CARRIE DOLLAR, Illinois; Vice-presidents: Eastern, ANDREW DAVISON, New York; Central, CAY HERMANN, Ohio; Western, JOHN GILTNER, Washington; Corresponding Secretary, MARTHA MARY GLINGMAN, Kansas; Recording Secretary, ERNESTINE MOORE, West Virginia; Financial Secretary, KENNETH DODGSON, Indiana. Other Executive Board Members: PAUL CONVERSE, Connecticut; WENDELL GANGWISH, Nebraska; RICHARD BEERS, Wisconsin; JAMES ASHBROOK, New York; ELEANOR BROOKS WEBB, Ohio; JEAN BECK, Massachusetts; HAZEL ASHE, Michigan; ROGER FREDRIKSON, Kansas; E. SPENCER PARSONS, Massachusetts; KENNETH DANNENHAUER, Rhode Island.

establishes definitely the decision to make Evangelism the primary denominational emphasis for 1947-1948.



Action has already been taken along similar lines by the Executive Board of BYF. The Discipleship Convocations will emphasize Evangelism. The Coaching Conference held in connection with the Convocations will have as one of their chief purposes the training of young people for Evangelism teams. It is proposed that the Coaching Clinic teams likewise to be trained in the Coaching Conference will be prepared to build local church clinics around evangelism as the central purpose for the year 1947-1948.

DISCIPLESHIP SUMMER DEPUTATION TEAMS FROM COLLEGES

An encouraging report was brought by Paul Converse following his trip to the western colleges indicating that the following colleges will probably be sponsoring teams this summer:

Ottawa	Linfield
Redlands	Sioux Falls

Various state service projects are under consideration as well as plans for individual summer service of many types. Great work was done by Deputation Teams last year.

MATERIALS FOR CONVOCATIONS FURNISHED NATIONALLY

1. Wall posters
2. Program flyer (containing Convocation cities, but not dates)
3. Folder on Disciple Plan and local church analysis including a blank to record Discipleship needs in the local church (for ministers).
4. Notebooks (at the Convocation).

MATERIAL TO BE PRINTED OR MIMEOGRAPHED BY EACH CONVOCATION COMMITTEE

1. Supplement to poster showing date and place.
2. Detailed programs.
3. Registration blanks.
4. Excuses from school (in some areas).

SUGGESTIONS TO COACHING CONFERENCE PER- SONNEL COMMITTEE

Determine in conference with the area BYF officers and Director of Christian Education and the Convocation-Coaching-Conference Committee, just which one of the following types of training will be called for in your Discipleship Coaching Conference.

a. Discipleship Cavalcade teams and arrangements committee(s) from your own or nearby states. (Cavalcades will not be needed in certain states and cities. Locations and dates of cavalcades within the state will be determined by the State BYF).

b. Fellowship Coaching Clinic Teams (ideally one or more teams of five persons including one adult, from each association, or district or enough teams to visit the local churches of the area within a year).

c. New Friends For Christ Team (as many teams of three to five persons for local church youth evangelism week ends as the areas may find it advisable and possible to secure in anticipation of the denomination wide emphasis upon evangelism planned for 1947-1948).

d. Individual Deputation Workers (State and association BYF officers and counsellors, National Council members, older young people and other qualified for individual visiting of local churches, but not involved in above teams. Some areas may also find it necessary to substitute individual service for teams in the above projects).

Set-up a thorough-going plan to select the very best qualified persons to do deputation work. These may include older young people, high school ages youth (provided they have proper qualification of personality and experience), returned G.I. (with personality qualifications and interest but needing training), state and association officers, college students, and adult and young adult counsellors.

SUMMER SERVICE PROJECTS

Plans are being developed by the committee for Summer Service Projects again next summer with the possibility of one or more small projects overseas. Details later.

WORLD CHRISTIAN YOUTH CONFERENCE, OSLO NORWAY

July 22 - August 1. Baptist Quota - Limited to five or six delegates.

BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE Copenhagen, Denmark, July 29 - August 3.

BAPTIST WORLD YOUTH CONFERENCE probably Toolse, Denmark, August 6 - 13.

SENIOR HIGH VOCATIONAL WORK-SERVICE CAMP
Green Lake, Wisconsin. State and city quotas will be available probably on a ratio of twice the number BYF National Council members from the area. More details later.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE, GREEN LAKE
June 17 - 25. Quotas will be on the same ratio as last year--six times BYF National Council membership.

JR. HI TOPIC

The Winter 1947 Jr. Hi Topic is out. Have you taken time to glance through it? The January unit is on Personality Development. A unit in February is on the Home Mission theme, Race. In March we talk about Friendships. Recently a number of churches have testified that Jr. Hi TOPIC has made a tremendous difference in the Christian leadership development of their youth. Let's admit that Jr. Hi Topic is not as easy as reading nursery rhymes, but if a church is looking for results and genuine interest in Junior Highs, then Jr. Hi Topic is the answer.

LEADERS HELPS FOR JR. HI TOPIC

Beginning with the February issue of BAPTIST LEADER, the Helps for the "Evening Meetings" printed in the "Jr. Hi Leader" Section will be written by Mrs. Clifford Taylor. Mrs. Taylor is the successful Jr. Hi Counselor at Masten Park Baptist Church in Buffalo, New York. Mrs. Taylor will tell how she goes about the planning of the evening meetings from "Topic". This will be a real help to all Jr. Hi Fellowship Leaders.

THE JR. HI COUNSELLOR

The first issue of the Jr. Hi Counsellor has been sent to approximately 125 Jr. Hi leaders. This news sheet will come out periodically, giving information on what Jr. Hi's are doing throughout the Northern Baptist Convention, as well as helps for the leaders. If you know of any Jr. Hi leaders who should receive this bulletin, please send their names and addresses to Rev. Clarence B. Gilbert, 1703 Chestnut St., Phila., 3, Pa.

JUVENILE PROTECTION

Recently four representatives from the Northern Baptist Convention attended the Attorney General's Conference on the Control and Prevention of Juvenile Delinquency. It was attended by over 1000 leaders dealing with this problem all

over America. The result was a document which will be printed in the near future. The spirit which ran through the Conference was the urgency to "lick delinquency". It is evident that great pressure will be put upon the schools and communities, State and Federal Governments, to provide more leisure time activities for children and youth. It has been suggested, for instance, that every county provide a camping experience for all of its children.

You can see what problem this presents to the churches. Unless the churches are to relinquish more and more of its child and youth time to the schools and communities, it must begin immediately to build effective leisure time program. Here is something every church can do:

- 1—Strengthen its B.Y.F. & Jr. Hi F
- 2—Develop boys and girls clubs
- 3—Develop Hobby and Craft Clubs
- 4—Provide an attractive recreation program in the church every week
- 5—Study Fellowship Features No. 5
- 6—Order Packet from Northern Baptist Committee on Juvenile Protection, 19 S. LaSalle Street Chicago, Ill., and develop suggested program for the church.

RECREATION LEADERS LABORATORY

Last year we pleaded with people to come to the "Rec. Lab." It was something new. Leaders didn't know what it was. Since then, the "Rec. Lab." idea has become so popular, that not only will it be repeated on a much larger scale at Green Lake, but other areas are developing their own.

Green Lake Recreation Leaders Laboratory will be held August 22-29, one week instead of five days. Some of the best recreation leadership in the country is being secured. Registrations will be limited. This Rec. Lab. is sponsored by the Committee on Juvenile Protection.

Director of the camp is Rev. Clarence B. Gilbert.

New England "Rec. Lab.", June 16--22. To be held at Block Island, R. I. under the sponsorship of several N. E. Area Directors. For information write to Rev. Kenneth L. Cober, 404 Lauderdale Bldg., Providence, R. I.

Rio Grande College Recreation Institute, November 12-14, Rio Grande, Ohio

B.Y.F. SONGS OF FELLOWSHIP

Word has been received from the printers that the new edition of song books will be ready about January 15. Advance orders in lots of 100 or more can be received up until that date at \$14.00 per 100, and will be sent directly from the printer. After that date prices will be considerably higher. This will be the only printing of this book in 1947. Order your summer assembly song books now!

VISUAL AIDS IN YOUTH EVANGELISM

In the very near future there will be sets of 2 x 2 kodachrome slides explaining in detail the program of Youth Evangelism. This lecture set is being arranged with two purposes in view: First, it can be shown to large groups to develop a concern for the unreached young people of the community, second; it is very valuable in training young people themselves in how to win their friends. These sets made up of about 55 slides and a lecture manuscript will be available for rent through the regular denominational depositories; also, any State which desires may purchase its own.

EVANGELISM RECORDS AVAILABLE

Your attention is called to the fact that Dr. Woodbury has just released a set of phonograph records showing techniques of Home Visitation Evangelism. One of these records deals with Youth Winning other youth. This record may be obtained through all state directors of evangelism or from the Home Mission Society.



Department of Adult Work and Family Life

ADULT EDUCATION

At no period in the history of learning has so much interest in adult education been demonstrated. Today the facilities of every evening high school, Junto, college, and university in our land are crowded beyond capacity. Evening classes, conducted in city colleges and high schools are over-run with men and women coming from office, bench, factory, garage, and a multitude of other callings, seeking to acquire new knowledge, and to develop more effective and more satisfying skills.

These trends in the secular field ought to challenge every church to give more serious thought to its total program of adult education. Somehow, programs for men and women must be made more vital, fresh, and timely. The real issues of life must be dealt with in classes, forums, and discussion groups, thereby assisting adults to learn what they ought to know. And, church leaders themselves must begin to treat adults as "growing" rather than "grown" persons.

Fortunately, more and more churches are endeavoring to give intelligent direction to educational activities for adults, and "education" is taking place in forums, institutes, seminars, church night interest groups, adult schools of religion, discussion groups, leadership training classes, and Sunday church school classes.

The religious education of adults represents our greatest "potential" in training an intelligent and willing church leadership.

IDEA EXCHANGE

In a neighboring state the expressed anxiety of a few mothers over how to teach religion to their children led to the formation of a **MOTHERS' CLASS** which meets during Sunday School near the beginner's department. In eleven years its membership has grown to fifty-eight; many of the mothers now teach in the Sunday School and young mothers are constantly coming into the class. There is a monthly meeting in the church because homes are too small.

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In a changing community surrounded by apartment houses in an industrial city in Michigan **CHURCH NIGHTS** are held, with dinner at 6:30, convocation at 7:20, and discussion groups at 7:40, closing promptly at 8:30. A fireside sing is held for those who care to stay for another half hour. Courses offered include "The Small Child and His Religion" for parents of children from two to six; book reviews, current events, and social issues. Bible study and missionary study also offer families much that is stimulating.

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In one church a **SUNDAY EVENING FAMILY HOUR SERVICE** is proving successful. After a worship period, in which there is participation by laymen and young people, with choirs of different ages on different evenings, the entire group breaks up into three discussion groups: adults, the youth fellowship, and children. Thus the entire family enters into this Sunday evening fellowship, which discovers, develops, and uses lay leadership.

Y O U N G A D U L T S

N E W S R E V I E W

It's not too early to promote our National Young Adult Family Camp at Green Lake, August 10 - 20, 1947. A competent staff of experienced camp leaders will direct the program this year, and the daily schedule will contain many new and interesting family activities.

We solicit the cooperation of every director of Christian education in announcing the unusual opportunities of such a camp experience, and urge all directors to speak to "interested families" at once..... Accommodations will permit the acceptance of not more than 25 families with a maximum of 5 per family.

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One of the best leaflets we have seen on the subject of young adults is entitled "An Adventure With Young Adults" which tells the story of how one group was organized for fellowship, study and action. Sample copies are obtainable on request; in quantity \$2.00 per hundred.

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Adult discussion materials appearing in Baptist Leader have brought many favorable comments from local leaders and pastors, all of which indicate that this literature is meeting a real need in our churches. At best, however, we have reached only a small fraction of Baptist adult groups, therefore urge area directors to take advantage of every opportunity to introduce and to encourage the use of these materials.

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A timely recommendation from the National Conference on Adult Work reads as follows: "that a Committee be formed in every Baptist church, related to the Board of Christian Education, to outline and to administer a program on Christian family life".

Massachusetts young adults are again in the news with the scheduling of their second annual state conference on January 11 in Boston.... Chicago has appointed an Adult Committee under the leadership of an active pastor who attended our National Conference on Adult Work last summer at Green Lake.... Ed Tuller reports that Connecticut now has a state committee on young adult work under the direction of a very capable laywoman who attended our Adult Worker's Conference last summer....

Joe Hanson recently spent two days in Syracuse, New York with the State Young Adult Executive Committee at which time program strategies were outlined, and the 1947 Young Adult Assembly was planned.... Young Adult leaders in Colorado recently participated in a week-end camping retreat under the direction of John Ramsay when plans were discussed for the coming year....

Asa Harris of West Virginia reports that the young adults of his state have really organized for action, and that area vice presidents have actually committed themselves to a plan of systematic local church visitation for the purpose of distributing materials, counselling leaders, and organizing new groups....

Gordon Hynes has mailed to every pastor in Michigan an "Adult" and "Young Adult" Plans and Materials Manual, plus supplementary materials on young adult work.... Merris Dice of Illinois reports that a new, active, and interested chairman of adult work has been appointed for his state....

Elmer Bentley of Maine is setting a fast pace in counselling pastors and local church leaders on young adult work. A recent questionnaire resulted in many requests being made for his assistance.



Department of Missionary Education

152 Madison Avenue, New York 16, N. Y.

I am debtor to the Greeks, and to the Barbarians; both to the wise, and to the unwise. So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel.

Romans 1,14



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Madison Avenue, New York City

The Department of Missionary Education is happy to have its page in Judson Journal with other departments in this division. Greetings to our co-workers from the newcomers!

"One pressing demand upon our generation is to learn the art of getting along with our neighbors across the world. We cannot do this well unless we know something about them, for suspicions often grow up in the absence of information."¹

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in areas of immediate Northern Baptist work and joining hands with others to interpret not only people and their needs but also the imperative to BE more Christlike that the message of the Gospel of Christ be not hindered.

¹

Floyd, Arva C.: WHITE MAN YELLOW MAN; Abingdon Cokesbury; \$1.75; page 7.

STATE SECRETARIES
of
MISSIONARY EDUCATION

Each month we shall list a group of state secretaries alphabetically until you have the complete list; thereafter we shall list only corrections in this section.

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"There is no fit search after truth which does not, first of all, begin to live the truth which it knows."



Department of

Church School Administration

most effective method of evangelism in our day is that of personal work. It is the man to man, face to face approach which is producing results in terms of winning people to an acceptance of Christ as their Lord and Saviour.

Among the programs provided in our denomination to help churches in this task of personal outreach is the Church School Enlargement Program. The discovery and cultivation of the unchurched is of basic importance in the whole evangelistic process. The Enlargement Program is designed to help especially at this point. Its effectiveness has been demonstrated over and over again, in church after church.

Please keep in mind that the Church School Enlargement Program is not just a religious census. Nor is it a variation of Home Visitation Evangelism. It does include the taking of a religious census and it does provide an excellent way to prepare for effective Home Visitation, but these two techniques should not be confused. Both are vitally essential to the building of an effective, on-going program of evangelism in the local church. Such a program should be a primary objective of every church in 1947 and in all the years to come.

San Francisco

The San Francisco Church School Enlargement Program (January 15-24) will be the first major effort of this kind in California. Ben Field has been having singular success in conducting individual local church Enlargement Programs, but has had to go it alone. After the San Francisco Program a number of California

pastors will be sufficiently familiar with it to help Ben make its benefits available to an increasing number of churches.



Copy for the February Judson Journal will have to be written prior to the San Francisco C.S.E.P., so watch for a report in the March issue.

Dallas, Texas

The southern Presbyterians and the Disciples have asked our Director of Church School Administration to put on an Enlargement Program in Dallas, Texas. This Program, to be held March 5-14, is designed especially to train the area Directors of Christian Education so that they, in turn, may get the Enlargement Program pattern under way in their respective denominations.

Churches of other denominations are being invited to participate in the Program, and there is some indication that some Southern Baptist churches may share in the experience.

Teaching Mission

The National Christian Teaching Mission has gotten off to a good start during the fall months, and now moves into a very busy season on the west coast.

At a meeting of denominational representatives in New York during December, a tentative schedule for the next two years was approved. Certain administrative procedures were cleared, and there is every reason to feel that the Mission is destined to render a great service to Protestantism in America. Just as many Baptist churches have found a new oneness in working shoulder to shoulder in our

great common task, so churches of many denominations are learning to work together on the task which is too great for any one of us.

Be sure that when and if the National Christian Teaching Mission comes to any community in your area all Baptist churches are given every encouragement to participate.

Emphasis on Evangelism



The Achievement Plan gears into the growing emphasis on Evangelism in an altogether admirable fashion.

While the outreach emphasis under goal 6 (A Growing School) is related in a very important way, it is under goal 4 (An Evangelistic School) that the real "all-out" emphasis emerges. Let's look again at the wording of that goal--"The spirit of evangelism shall motivate the teaching of the school. The school shall (1) carry through a definite plan for winning each pupil to Christ; and (2) cooperate with the pastor in providing special training for discipleship and church membership."

One might well ask what business we have trying to build successful Sunday church schools unless the spirit of evangelism is the guiding motive, and the answer would have to be, "None". Indeed, it is quite obvious that the evangelistic concern, or lack thereof, will largely determine the degree to which God can use any given Sunday church school staff.

Disciples Now Have One

Our good friends, the Disciples of Christ, now have an Achievement Chart very similar to ours. It will be launched in the very near future.

The Southern Presbyterians are giving careful consideration to the wisdom of launching a similar plan.

Kansas Moves Up

After a voluminous exchange of correspondence over a period of several months, we are now able to announce that the First Baptist Church of Olathe, Kansas, has been awarded the "A" Pennant and the Emblem of Achievement for the year 1945-1946.

This brings the total number of winners for the third year up to 36, and moves Kansas into a tie with Indiana for state wide honors. Each state had six winners this past year.

Will They Repeat?

What think ye? Will any or all of these seven, who have earned the award for 3 consecutive years, do it again, and thus set the pace again? --

First Baptist Church-Lancaster, Penna.
First Baptist Church-Great Falls, Mont.
North Springfield Baptist Church-
North Springfield, Vermont
First Baptist Church-Derry, N. H.
Norwood Baptist Church-Norwood, Ohio
First Baptist Church-Lovell, Wyoming
Lumberport Baptist Church-Lumberport,
West Virginia

G E N E R A L I T E M S

Sunday School Convention

We hope that even before this issue of Judson Journal reaches you we will have been able to send additional promotion material relating to the Sunday School Convention to be held in Des Moines next July.

All inquiries should be directed to Idris W. Jones who is chairman of the committee handling promotion for our denomination.

Department of Leadership Education



EVANGELISM AND LEADERSHIP EDUCATION

The Leadership Education Department has been working with the entire Division of Education in Home, Church, and Community at the point of cooperating to the fullest in the Program of Evangelism as it will be conducted by our denomination throughout 1947.

Before this issue of Judson Journal reaches you, a committee (called by the Leadership Education Department) should have met for the purpose of integrating Leadership Education into the total program. The Departments of Evangelism, Winning the Children for Christ Program, Baptist Youth Fellowship, and Leadership Education will be represented on the committee.

Among other items to be considered by the committee are the following:

1. A new First Series Course in Evangelism. In fact a writer is at work on the textbook.
2. A textbook for Course 140.1b "Christian Evangelism".
3. A textbook for Course 140.1sb "Christian Evangelism in the Sunday Church School".
4. The revision of the Leader's Guide for Course 315.11b "Youth and Evangelism".
5. Courses 211.1a, 211.2a, and 211.b are three courses of the Winning the Children for Christ program. These courses are taught only by our national children's workers, and then on request. We cannot praise too highly the work done by those working in this program.

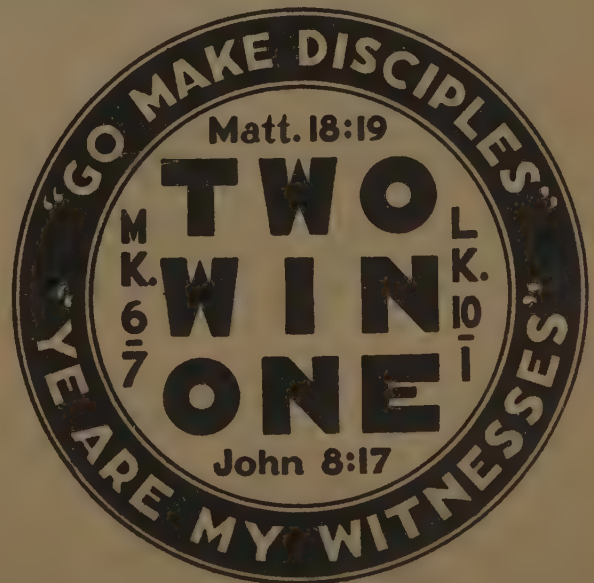
More than 2500 units of Standard Leadership credit have been earned by those who have taken Courses 211.1a, 211.2a, and 211.1b.

Our department is "off on the double" to carry through the above program. We covet your cooperation to make 1947 a big year in winning and training disciples for Christ.

TRAINING INSTITUTES

LOCAL CHURCH DIRECTORS of Christian Education are not being overlooked. Two excellent programs have been arranged for Philadelphia, January 6 - 10 and Berkeley, California, January 28 - 31. Every large phase of work in Christian Education is to be given consideration. Of special interest will be the presentation and discussion of a "proposed manual" on the local church director.

For particulars, contact our department.



"Go Make Disciples" — back cover.

IT'S BEING DONE

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA IS DOING IT. Sam Bailey has a big job as Area Director of Southern California. He worked so hard at the job that he was given an assistant, Miss Mary Puccio. Now, with both of them working at the job, it means much more is being done. It was reported to me that Sam was only getting 6 hours of sleep daily. I wrote him that I thought 6 hours was enough, if he were getting the regular 8 hours each night. Whatever be the truth, we know that So. Cal. is doing a big job in Leadership Education; not only a big job but an efficient one.

With each accreditation form from So. Cal. comes a letter of explanation. Of late, I have noticed a special "check-up" over in one corner of the form, on which credits are reported. It reveals the secret of how Sam gets things done in an efficient manner. Most of us take an "inventory" once a year. Sam apparently takes it 12 months in the year. Below is the simple six-point check-up Sam used on a form which was sent to us recently.

1. Date received 11/46
2. Instructor accredited yes
3. Credit cards mailed 11/46 to _____
4. Student's permanent file 12/9
5. Class permanent file 12/5
6. Original to Philadelphia 12/6

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MAY OUR WORKING TOGETHER

through correspondence
occasional meetings
mutual fellowship
and common cause

BRING TO PASS A HAPPY NEW YEAR

PASSING THE BUCK -- MOOSE????

In the article "Area Director -- Attention!" (December issue), please understand that the Leadership Education Department was not trying to pass the "buck". (I am happily reminded that on my first visit to Dr. H. A. Bolle's home in Cheyenne, the delicious moose was passed around the dinner table). We sincerely believe the area director can better and more diplomatically care for the "ten items" listed because he often knows the persons included. Also, the writer can be answered more readily. If items go uncared for until they reach us, a heavy and difficult burden is placed on the national office.

Our department cares for hundreds of cases wherein the area directors have been by-passed. We do our best to discourage by-passing in order that the area director may be informed about that which takes place in his area.

HAVE WE ASKED TOO MUCH?

Send criticisms, pro and con. If you desire help on how any of the above items may be handled by the area director, we shall give you our feeble ideas. THANKS FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

OUT OF PRINT

1. "Worship in the Church School" by J. S. Wallace is out of print. Please turn to page 19 in the 1946 Educational Bulletin 502 and check it off. Paulsen and Powell texts are still on the list. Another excellent text will be ready soon.
 2. Under Course 213b, "Home and Church Working Together in Christian Education" is out of print.
 3. Under Course 312b, "Who Are You?" by P. E. Johnson is out of print.
- (213b, 312b listed in Baptist Leaflets)



Department of Vacation Church School

A HAPPY NEW YEAR!
May it mean for you
new opportunities
for service in your
city or state, and

new challenges to reach out within each area, and in cooperation with others, to build anew the Cause in which it is our privilege to labor and rejoice.

We have spent much time in the study of each state report of Vacation Church Schools. One marvels at the accomplishments of our directors in Vacation and Weekday Church Schools. We trust that for you, as for us, the record of each school is a living testimony of men and women who have given from their busy lives, a great block of time to share with girls and boys the story of Christ as it affects the life of the world.

We look forward to a New Year and new challenges. We approach this as an opportunity and not a task. We seek new ideas that will claim the attention of leaders as well as of children and youth.

You will wish to study carefully

YOUR CHURCH

AT WORK IN

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

May we call to your attention pages 20 and 21?

Note especially:

"Every church should conduct its own vacation church school, or cooperate in a community school."

The church should become acquainted with these five P's in a pod:

1. Plan early for the vacation school, and for training leaders.
2. Provide for this school in the annual church budget.
3. Plan for missionary education and offerings.
4. Provide for cooperation with association and area directors.

5. Provide for an All Summer Vacation Program.

CAN THIS BE ACCOMPLISHED?
IT CAN!

1. Plans for the Vacation Church School should be proposed by the City or State Director now.

2. Every association should have a Vacation Church School Committee, or a representative of this work on the Committee on Christian Education of the Association.

3. A plan to develop certified or approved leadership in Vacation Church Schools has been prepared for use. Our hope is that at a time not too far distant we may develop local church leaders approved by our Christian Education Division.

Send for this program as planned for Vacation Church Schools.

4. The director of state or city will find the Association Committee strengthens his service greatly.

For example: Several states have sent excellent reports for the year 1946. In every case, the director has spoken of the help given by his associations.

The question, "How can we get reports without great effort?" is asked. We cannot. Statistics are valuable. They tell a marvelous story.

However, the answer to the How? may be to Multiply Self. The director goes to the church on the feet of his Association volunteer director. This Association Director organizes the Board or Committee of Christian Education in each local church. The representative of Vacation Church School on that committee will carry responsibility and enjoy this service.



Weekday Religious Education

From the NEWSLETTER of November, 1946, which is shared by the members of the Weekday Section of International Council of Religious Education, we lift some interesting items for this New Year number.

Miss Edna May Baxter, Hartford, Conn., shares with us the news that her new book **HOW THE BIBLE WAS WRITTEN** will be published by Harpers. It is especially planned for adolescents in weekday schools.

Miss Esther Van Bockern, Evansville, Ind. thinks **THROUGH CHILDREN'S EYES**, by Blanche Weill is good for all weekday leaders to read.

Dr. McKendry, Oak Park, Illinois, states, "The most interesting book I have read recently is **THE JORDAN RIVER** by Nelson Glueck.

Mrs. Merritt Lee, Wichita, Kans. reports: "The book, **MY COUNTRY SCHOOL DIARY**, by Julia Weber has much help for weekday church school teachers. **GUIDING CHILDREN IN WORSHIP**, by Vesta Towner, is new and helpful."

Miss Jean Moore Cavell, Evansville, Ind. recommends Buttrick: **CHRIST AND MAN'S DILEMMA**, and Reeves: **ANATOMY OF PEACE**.

A SUGGESTION

Dr. Walter D. Howell of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., writes: "You might pass along word of the success in promoting weekday religious education that I have had in a few instances by taking groups of pastors or local church leaders to observe a weekday church school in operation.

"After this demonstration I have sat down with these folks, answered questions and thrashed out the whole project with them in the light of their local situations."

"With the ringing of the school bell last fall, the Tioga County (New York) Council of Churches began its full year of Christian instruction in the schools on released time from the public school program. At the request of their parents 547 pupils were released for weekday classes. Most of these children attended one room schools, located at some distance from any church."

In addition to last year's program, classes will be started in at least three new communities in Tioga County.

DOES PITTSBURGH HIGH SCHOOL ADVENTURE IN WEEKDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONTINUE?

Dr. Gibbs, Director of Allegheny County, Penna., shares with NEWSLETTER readers this information: "A weekday Recognition Service was held in the beautiful Heinz Chapel on the campus of the University of Pittsburgh. 291 seniors from the high schools of Pittsburgh who have completed work in Weekday Religious Education received Certificates of Recognition and a gift copy of the Bible. There were over 300 in the procession.

Dr. Shaver reports an increasing interest in all states--city and rural areas.

Bulletin 60 has been completely revised. Dr. Shaver states: "This edition of Educational Bulletin 60, **THE WEEKDAY CHURCH SCHOOL**, is in reality an entirely new document.....New turns in the development of the weekday movement have necessitated a completely fresh approach.

Recently a Human Relations Pamphlet (No. 6) came to the desk. It is **WEEKDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: HELP OR HINDRANCE TO INTER-RELIGIOUS UNDERSTANDING?** by Isaac K. Beckes. It is listed as, "A study of the effects of weekday religious education on Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish relationships." It is enlightening.



Department of Camps and Assemblies

ON THE WAY...The 1947

camping material is rapidly nearing completion. It would be well if you could anticipate your need and give us a pre-publication estimate of your requirements for Junior, Junior High, and Senior High Manuals.

The 1947 JUNIOR CAMPING PROGRAM MANUAL is entitled, "We Work with God" and deals with the following items:

1. Administration of Junior camp
2. Day by day program suggestions: Sunday activities, morning praise, evening vespers, cabin devotions, evening programs, and discovery group guidance.
3. Evangelism and the camp program
4. Juniors in committee
5. Hobbies, crafts, and recreation
6. Music with Junior campers

The discovery sessions are as follows: Why we have camps; All good things about us; Building friendships at camp; Camping friends around the world; My share of work; We learn about workers today; Workers of long ago; New jobs to be done at camp; New jobs to be done in America; New jobs to be done in the world; We work with God.

The 1947 JUNIOR HIGH Camping program:
TOPIC I—TODAY'S ADVENTURERS:

Key thought: Hebrews 12:1. Purpose: To understand what is meant by "The Way" and why the early followers of Christ were often called "those of the Way."—

To discover the Bible as the supreme guide-post for us——To learn how young people today are adventures of the "Way" just as the early disciples were.

TOPIC II—THE ADVENTURERS' RESOURCE: Key thought: Hebrews 12:2. Purpose: To present Christ in such an attractive light as the "Son of Man" that the campers will be drawn to Him instinctively.

TOPIC III—HITTING THE TRAIL:

Key thought: Philippians 3:12-14. Purpose: That the campers may learn how to choose wisely, to make right decisions.—To learn to appreciate modern adventurers of "the Way".

TOPIC IV—FELLOW ADVENTURERS:

Key thought: 1 Corinthians 3:9. Purpose: To relate campers to one another as the right kind of adventurers. To discover the challenge of cooperation with the great missionary enterprise of today.

TOPIC V—I, TOO, ADVENTURE

Key thought: Matthew 20:22. Purpose: That the campers may think through the cost of a disciplined life and become willing to make the necessary sacrifice.

TOPIC VI—ADVENTURERS AGAINST THE STORM:

Key thought: II Timothy 2:3-7. Purpose: To follow the upward trail at home as well as at camp, no matter what the cost.

The 1947 Senior High Camp-Assembly Program. This manual is entitled "Fellowship with Christ" and is in the series represented by the 1946 "Discipleship with Christ". The program includes specific Bible study in fellowship with Christ; Quest group suggestions covering three areas: Personal Christian Living, Missionary World Outreach, and Evangelism; Youth Workshops; leading to Standard Leadership credit.

The Manual also includes helps for Craft and Recreation Program, Vesper services, and evening programs as well as a suggested committee organization for the operation of a Senior High camp or assembly.

(A very limited supply of "Discipleship with Christ" is available.)

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Field Schedule

The Field Schedule
of the National
Staff is listed be-

low in order to help you in making the
maximum use of their time in your area.
If staff members are coming near your
area, and you need their help, please
contact them at once. It may be possible
to add your visit to their schedule.

MISS LOIS BLANKENSHIP

January

6-11	Philadelphia Conference
13-17	Wichita, Kansas
20	Philadelphia Conference
21,22	New York, N.Y.
23,24	Philadelphia Conference
27-31	Berkeley, Calif.

February

6-8	Chicago, Ill.
10-15	Grand Rapids, Mich.
18	Philadelphia Conference
24-28	Philadelphia Conference

MR. RODNEY M. BRITTEN

January

6-10	Philadelphia Conference
17-24	New York State
31	Cleveland, Ohio

February

2,3	Cleveland, Ohio
6-8	Chicago, Ill.
9-14	Grand Rapids, Mich.
26-28	Philadelphia Conference

DR. OLIVER D. CUMMINGS

January

1	New York, N.Y.
2,3	Philadelphia Conference
4,5	Washington, D.C.
6-10	Philadelphia Conference
13,14	Portland, Maine
15	Holyoke, Mass.
16	New York, N.Y.
17,18	Philadelphia Conference
19	New York, N.Y.
21,22	New York, N.Y.
24,25	New York, N.Y.

DR. OLIVER D. CUMMINGS (cont'd)

February

6-9	Chicago, Ill.
10-15	Grand Rapids, Mich.
24-28	Philadelphia Conference

MR. JAMES E. FIDLER

January

2,3	Philadelphia Conference
6-10	Philadelphia Conference
13	Parkersburg, W. Va.
14	Huntington, W. Va.
18-31	New York State

February

6-8	Chicago, Ill.
9-13	Grand Rapids, Mich.
26-28	New York City

MRS. ELIZABETH M. FINN

January

3	Philadelphia Conference
6-11	Philadelphia Conference
13	Chicago, Ill.
14	Kansas City, Kansas
15	Omaha, Nebraska
16	Denver, Colorado
17	Portland, Oregon
18,19	Seattle, Wash.
20	Portland, Oregon
21,22	Linfield, Oregon
23	San Francisco, Cal.
24-31	Berkeley, Cal.

February

1-3	Los Angeles, Cal.
6-8	Chicago, Ill.
9-12	Grand Rapids, Mich.
13-16	Chicago, Ill.
17	Philadelphia Conference
19	Philadelphia Conference
25	Philadelphia Conference
27	Philadelphia Conference

MR. CLARENCE B. GILBERT

January

11,12	Minneapolis, Minn.
13	Fargo, N. Dakota
15	Missoula, Montana
17	Boise, Idaho
19-21	Seattle, Wash.

MR. CLARENCE B. GILBERT (cont'd)

January

22 Portland, Oregon
23 Chico, Cal.
24 Oakland, Cal.
25 San Jose, Cal.
26-31 Berkeley, Cal.
31-Feb. 1 Los Angeles, Cal.

February

5,6 Washington, D.C.
10-13 Grand Rapids, Mich.
21,22 Concord, New Hamp.

MR. JOSEPH JOHN HANSON

January

6-10 Philadelphia Conference
13-17 Wichita, Kansas
21,22 New York, N.Y.
26-31 New York State

February

10-15 Grand Rapids, Mich.
20 New York, N.Y.
24-28 New York, N.Y.

DR. RICHARD HOILAND

January

2,3 New York, N.Y.
6-10 Philadelphia Conference
18 Philadelphia Conference
21,22 New York, N.Y.
26-31 Berkeley, Cal.

February

6-8 Chicago, Ill.
10-15 Grand Rapids, Mich.
17,18 Chicago, Ill.
26-28 Philadelphia Conference

MR. FRANK E. JOHNSTON

January

1 Phoenix, Arizona
3-7 Las Vegas, Nevada
8-13 Los Angeles, Cal.
14-24 San Francisco, Cal.
25-Feb. 3 Berkeley, Cal.

February

6-11 Portland, Oregon
12-17 Seattle, Wash.
18-28 Tacoma, Wash.

MR. IDRIS W. JONES

January

6-14 Philadelphia Conference
17 Syracuse, N.Y.
18-31 New York State

February

9-13 Grand Rapids, Mich.

MISS MYRTLE M. LOVE

January

6-11 Philadelphia Conference
15 Harrisburg, Pa.

February

12 Philadelphia Conference
26-28 Philadelphia Conference

MISS FLORENCE STANSBURY

January

3 Philadelphia Conference
6-10 Philadelphia Conference
14-17 Buck Hill Falls, Pa.
20 Philadelphia Conference
21,22 New York
23,24 Philadelphia Conference

February

6-9 Chicago, Ill.
10-13 Grand Rapids, Mich.
14 Detroit, Mich.
18-23 Boston, Mass.
24-28 Philadelphia Conference

MISS DOROTHY STEVENS

January

6-10 Philadelphia Conference
13-17 Buck Hill Falls, Pa.
21,22 New York, N.Y.
27-31 Berkeley, Cal.
28 San Francisco, Cal.

February

9-15 Grand Rapids, Mich.
24-28 Philadelphia Conference

MISS PHYLLIS VAN ZANDT

January

6-22 Philadelphia Conference



A Directory of Directors

You will find listed below those responsible for State and City Christian Education work within their local areas.

For your convenience they are coded as follows; SD - State Director; CD - City Director; YD - Youth Director; ChD - Children's Director; EX - Executive Secretaries.

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Victor O. Wik	SD	704½ Walnut St., Des Moines, Iowa

The Directors Say

R. Lewis Johnson - New York: "A fellowship of Christian Education Directors has been formed in this state. Foremost among projects included for the first year are; (a) A book club patterned after pastors book clubs and using books of especial value to Religious Education Directors. (b) A one-week Leadership Education conference to be held at Keuka College. (c) A "Dope Sheet" to circulate among all directors. (d) A plan of general promotion by which all materials and publicity is channeled through these twenty-one directors."

J. O. Nelson - Nebraska: "It is my candid opinion that the work of Christian Education is making progress in Nebraska. More churches are becoming interested in the leadership education program and also the Achievement Plan. We have about six or eight churches working for the banner next June. I hope all make it. Our State Committee on Christian Education will meet in the month of December for study and planning. I am very happy in the work and rejoice in the fellowship of Baptists in Nebraska."

J. Norman Martin - New Jersey: "A marked increase in interest has been manifest this Fall in Leadership schools and classes. Several new schools have been established and in not a few churches special classes have been organized for training. The Basic courses are proving very attractive."

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations..... teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you; and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.

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